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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Honorable Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Filing Date Granted" (copy attached) dated November 20, 2001, enclosed are substitute drawings, 12 sheets, Figs. 1-12, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84, in which the drawing informalities (margins) have been corrected.

Applicant has submitted the substitute drawings prior to two months from the date of the "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers" and requests that the subject application be considered to be in formal condition for acceptance.

Respectfully submitted,

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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